

CITY OF CLARKSTON

CLARKSTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING

ITEM NO: F16

HEARING TYPE:  
Council Meeting

BUSINESS AGENDA / MINUTES

MEETING DATE: July 5, 2016

ACTION TYPE:  
Resolution

**SUBJECT:** Approve Moratorium on New Retail Package Alcohol Applications

DEPARTMENT: City Council

PUBLIC HEARING: ☐ YES ☒ NO

ATTACHMENT: ☒ YES ☐ NO  
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**PURPOSE:** To consider and approve imposing a Moratorium on New applications for permits to sell alcohol buy the package for consumption off premises for Ninety (90) Days.

**NEED/ IMPACT:**

Clarkston City Officials are concerned with a high concentration of retail alcohol package businesses licenses within the City and they find that an over-concentration of package alcohol businesses tends to present negative impacts on public health and welfare. The City is contemplating imposing reasonable zoning regulations and distance requirements on package alcohol vendors. The Council proposes to establish a moratorium on new retail package alcohol applications for a ninety (90) day period to expire on October 5, 2016.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Staff has no recommendation.